GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA

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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of accidents in mines took place in public and private sector mines during the last three years and till date and the number of casualities thereof; and

(b) the details of compensation given to deceased families and injured mine workers?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

(a) : The total number of accidents took place in public and private sector mines during the last three years and the number of casualities are as under:

Year	Sector	No. of fatal accidents	No. of serious accidents	No. of persons killed	No. of persons seriously injured
1998	Public	152	705	172	754
	Private	32	72	39	79
	TOTAL	184	777	211	833
1999	Public	139	717	152	781
	Private	49	70	58	83
	TOTAL	188	787	210	864
2000	Public	124	537	152	578
	Private	47	57	54	65
	TOTAL	171	594	206	643

(b) : The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.